



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Our Case No. OOB012)

In The Application Of:

BENNETT ET AL.

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Examiner: RUDY, ANDREW J.

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 AND  
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action of April 6, 2005, for which a response was due July 6, 2005, now extended two (2) months to September 6, 2005, the Applicants respectfully request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. This Request is accompanied by a check in the amount of \$395.00 to cover the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), a petition for a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding action, and a check in the amount of \$225.00 for the two-month extension fee.

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